

Department of Corrections ADMINISTRATIVE BULLETIN

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This bulletin implements Senate Bill 1913 Chapter 1579 which adds Section 199.222 to the Health and Safety Code and Title 8 commencing with Section 7500, to Part 3 of the Penal Code effective October 1, 1988

Briefly this act initiates the following:

- 1. Mandates correctional employees to report all incidents of possible HIV exposure to the Chief Medical Officer.
- 2. Gives correctional employees the opportunity to report any incident of possible HIV exposure among inmates or staff which he/she has observe or been informed of.
- 3. Enables inmates to report incidents of possible HIV exposure to the Chief Medical Officer.
- 4. Directs the Chief Medical Officer to render a decision on the need to test the specified inmates for HIV infection.
- 5. Empowers the Chief Medical Officer to render a decision on the need to test the specified inmates for HIV infection.
- 6. Provides correctional employees and inmates involved in reported incidents of HIV exposure with the right to appeal the decision of the Chief Medical Officer to a three-member panel whose decision is appealable to superior court.
- 7. Mandates that parole agents be informed of a parolee's HIV status immediately upon parole from an institution. A medical representative of the paroling institution is responsible for that noticification.
- 8. Imposes certain requirements on parole agents in regard to the supervision of HIV-infected parolees.



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